IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA MISSOULA DIVISION

JANET K. STEMSON, Individually, and as Personal Representative of the Estate of Robert S. Stemson, Deceased, and on behalf of the children and heirs of Robert S. Stemson, Deceased,

CV 22-159-M-KLD

ORDER

Plaintiffs,

VS.

RYDER TRUCK RENTAL and JOHN DOES 1-10,

Defendants.

The Court held oral argument in this matter on July 31, 2024, to address Plaintiffs' Motion requesting leave to file a Second Amended Complaint (Doc. 41). Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that Plaintiffs' Motion (Doc. 41) is GRANTED for the reasons stated in open court. Plaintiffs shall immediately file their Second Amended Complaint.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Defendants may file a rebuttal to Plaintiffs' liability expert report on or before August 30, 2024.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the scheduling order (Doc. 39) is amended as follows:

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Discovery Deadline: August 30, 2024

Motions Deadline (fully briefed): October 24, 2024

Motions in Limine Deadline: December 9, 2024

(fully briefed)

Attorney Conference to Prepare

Final Pretrial Order: December 27, 2024

E-file Final Pretrial Order, Proposed Jury Instructions, Proposed Voir Dire Questions, and Trial Briefs and email to kld propord@mtd.uscourts.gov

(Trial Briefs are optional): January 6, 2025

Notice to I.T. Supervisor of Intent to use CD-ROM or

Videoconference: January 6, 2025

Final Pretrial Conference: January 13, 2025 at 2:00 p.m.

Jury Trial (7-member jury): January 21, 2025 at 9:00 a.m.

All other provisions of the scheduling order entered on January 1, 2023

(Doc. 21) shall remain in place.

DATED this 31st day of July, 2024.

Kathleen L. DeSoto

United States Magistrate Judge